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Please accept the Microsoft settlement offer.

I believe that this entire matter qualifies as government sanctioned extortion. Microsoft is a business. A business is started to make a product and a profit. No one was forced to choose any Microsoft product. Like many millions of other consumers I CHOSE to do so - REPEATEDLY. Microsoft made a profit and I have a product I WANTED. Is there even ONE individual who did not have a choice about which product they would use? NO! To argue that they couldn't figure out the technology and use a competing product has no merit. A Cessna pilot has no right to complain that he cannot fly a 767. An automobile driver has no right to complain that he cannot fly a Cessna.

Computers are not toys. They are very complex tools that have become easier to use and more beneficial because companies like Microsoft work very hard to make that happen. Efforts like this suit are counter-productive, immoral, unconstitutional (in my opinion), and wrong!

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